

Storyboards

When a director is making a film, they plan out the story in picture form. It looks a bit like a comic strip. This is called a storyboard.

- A storyboard is a series of pictures and words that help the director to visualize the film. It also helps to guide the filming schedule.
- Each picture is drawn in a frame. Basic shot details and dialogue will be included.

Storyboards are a planning tool to help you determine what you need for each scene. The purpose of storyboards is to show, on paper, what's in the picture, such as the number of people, words on the screen, and scenery. By pre-planning your upcoming animated film with a storyboard, you will spend less time trying to figure things out on the day of the shoot, and when in doubt, you can refer to the paper.